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**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SIMMONS, *et al.*

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For: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR  
HERPES SIMPLEX PROPHYLAXIS AND  
TREATMENT

Group Art Unit: Unknown

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**MS Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 23313-1450

Sir:

Applicants submit this Preliminary Amendment in the above-referenced case and request that the following amendments be made prior to examination on the merits of this application.

Consideration of this case in view of the amendments made below is requested.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/UTSG:263US.

An **Amendment to the Specification** is provided at page 2;

A **Listing of Claims** is provided at page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.